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Application of:  
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
LONGITUDINAL BALANCE  
CALIBRATION

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 5, 2007**

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Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.